

CUSTOMER NO.: 24737

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)	Examiner: D. COBANOGLU
C. BANTA)	
)	Art Unit: 3626
Serial No.: 09/876,782)	
)	Confirmation: 8851
Filed: June 7, 2001)	
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For: METHOD AND)	
COMPUTER READABLE)	
MEDIUM FOR MERGING)	
STUDIES)	
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Date of Last Office Action:)	
December 9, 2008)	
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Attorney Docket No.:)	Cleveland, OH 44114
US010388 / PKRX 2 00118)	February 9, 2009

AMENDMENT

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Examiner's Answer of December 9, 2008.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.